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Dear Harold:

I really enjoyed talking with you yesterday afternoon on the telephone. By our conversation, I guessed that your package from me had not arrived in the mail. Maybe it will arrive on Tuesday. I had just entered the house when my wife said you had called. I immediately called to ensure that it was not something urgent. While I was talking on the telephone with you my wife, Jan, presented me with my mail that had arrived that afternoon. In the pile of mail was your 5/19/98 letter, which I will address. Yes I have adopted a walking regimen. I do about a 2 miles a day and will be upping it to 3 miles starting this week. I do the walking on a tread mill at work and walk at a stiff 6 miles an hour for twenty minutes during my lunch half hour. Are you and Lil on Lasix or a like diuretic drug for the swelling in your legs? The exercising you do perform is another non-drug way to remove the fluid build up in your body. It does it by having the muscles move the interstitial fluids back into the lymph ducts that rehydrate you blood vessels.

I continue to hunt down citations to fill out your bibliography in the *Hersh-It* manuscript. I am down to only five citations to go and expect with any luck to be able to find those citations in a week or two. I have a contact who works in West Valley, New York and lives in the Buffalo, NY area. I hope he can go to the local library with the dates, author and title to track down a copy of the *Toronto Globe and Mail* articles you quoted so that I can confirm the quote and the page number for the bibliography. The others will have to wait until I go the local university which is an hour south of here to finish off the *Post*, Church Committee and *L.A. Times* citations. When I am done I will forward separate pages to substitute the old pages.

A coworker who works with me at DOE-ID writes a local special interest column

approached me regarding the possibility of writing an article for the local newspaper about the Kennedy assassination for November's 35th anniversary. I initially declined but am giving more thought about it. It would like to take a crack at it. If I did, I would like you to review it for veracity before I submitted it to the newspaper. I trust your knowledge more than my own. I am toying with the idea that it would compare and contrast the Warren Commission version of events with the information in your books.

With regard to having my name cited in your manuscript as a typist, my initial druthers is to just do it because what can they do to me for helping you out by typing. As I sat at work and stared at the poster on my one solid wall which reflects the cleric's statement of being quiet while the Nazis hauled off one group after another. While not wanting to be either a fool who struts his bravado nor a callow coward, I wish to reserve action until I learn more about your experiences that lead you to warn me to be careful about my committing to the task. Would you care to share some of your experiences with me on that subject before I make an uninformed decision?

On the telephone you indicated that JFK/Lancer was not one of your favored entities and that it somehow involved Professor George Michael Evica. What happened? He reviewed your manuscript and trashed it? Did I understand that he characterized you as a government stooge? You a government stooge? That convoluted logic I would like to examine!

Are you familiar with the Conspiracy Museum in Dallas, Texas? They are also a reseller of books and manuscripts critical of the government's "investigations". I can find an address if your interested. I believe they would buy copies of your manuscripts for resale.

I have completed scanning the Whitewash I book and am proofing the document for fidelity with your original book. The real job will come soon as I ensure the integrity of the Index because the scanned document is paginated to include fewer pages. I intend to take two double

spaced 8½ by 11 pages and reduce them to fit on a single 8½ by 11 page in a landscape orientation to ensure that when they are reduced the remain legible for future reproduction. After that is done, I will have it bound at the left side (8½ side) for easy handling and disassembly if need be.

I have sent a short note off to Bill Neichter (sp?) regarding getting a copy of your manuscript. I hope to hear from him in the next week or two. As regards Professor Wrone, I will write to him in a day or two and offer any help he may need with the Posner harpooning manuscript. I tried to contact Jerry on the Internet but seem to have messed up his address (barjer2@juno.com). Enclosed are two "message undeliverable" sheets of my latest attempts. If you speak to him soon would you inquire whether I have his correct address? Would you have him send me an E-mail note? My address is (ogilvic@inel.gov). Thanks.

Hope this note finds you and Lil in good health. Keep up that exercise regimen; you still have a long way to go!

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